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1. EMBASSY AUTHORIZED SPRAYING OPERATIONS IN REF B (MAY 31)
AND C (JUNE 12) TRANSMITTED TO APPROPRIATE MILITARY ADDRESSEES.
REF (C) BEING REPEATED FOR YOUR INFORMATION.

2. IN EARLY APRIL, EMBASSY DECLINED TO AUTHORIZE SPRAY
OPERATIONS ON THE BASIS OF PAF AND REGIONAL SECRETARY FOR
AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES REQUESTS DATED FEBRUARY 8 AND
MARCH 28 RESPECTIVELY, IN ABSENCE OF GOP APPROVAL. WE
RAISED THE ISSUE WITH THE FOREIGN MINISTRY APRIL 4 AND
EMPHASIZED THAT SUCH REQUESTS AND WAIVERS SHOULD BE PRESENTED
BY THE GOP. THE MINISTRY CONCURRED.

3. THE REGIONAL SECRETARY'S FEBRUARY 8 REQUEST FOR SPRAY
OPERATIONS STATED THAT "ANY VERIFIED DAMAGE RESULTING FROM
THE APPLICATION OF INSECTICIDES (DURING THE SPRAYING OPERATION)
WILL BE ASSUMED BY THE AGRICULTURAL SERVICE OF THE
ISLAND OF TERCEIRA UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE REGIONAL
SECRETARY FOR AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES." (THE PAF NOTE
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DATED MARCH 27 WAS AN TTEMPT TO ELICIT EMBASSY
AUTHORIZATION FOR THE OPERATION WITHOUT RECOURSE TO THE
GOP). IN A MAY 23 NOTE THE FOREIGN MINISTRY ENDORSED
THE REGIONAL SECRETARY'S FEBRUARY 8 REQUEST WHICH AS
NOTED ABOVE CONTAINED AN APPROPRIATE LIABILITY WAIVER.

4. ACCORDING TO MILITARY TRAFFIC OUT OF HQ AFRES/OIP,

ROBINS AFB, SPRAY AIRCRAFT ARE EXPECTED TO ARRIVE LAJES
24 JUNE.
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